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## QUARRELED OVER A GIRL.

Indian Stabbed to Death—Murdered  
Man's Body Burned.

(Associated Press.)

San Bernardino, Cal., Sept. 21.—The county officials have received a dispatch from the Needles telling of the murder at that place of an Indian named Jose Armuello by Tomo Morrosto, a fellow tribesman, and the burning of Armuello's remains by the Indians, who afterwards attempted to storm the jail where Morrosto is confined to lynch him.

Armuello was stabbed to death during a quarrel over a Mexican girl. Morrosto fled, but was captured. When the officers went for the body of Armuello they discovered that it had been carried off by the Indians, who, taking it to the desert, heaped up a pile of brush upon which they placed the corpse, and while the flames consumed it danced about the funeral pyre chanting weird dirges.

## ESCAPE OF PRISONERS.

Two Men Serving Terms at New West-  
minster Take to the Woods.

(Special to the Times.)

New Westminster, Sept. 21.—Richard Rex, alias Dan McCarthy, and Frank Henry, escaped from the provincial jail yesterday afternoon. A gang was working in Queen's Park at the time, and when Guard Higginson turned his back they made a run for a fence, ripped a board off, and disappeared in the woods, and have not been seen since. They had frons on at the time.

Rex was sentenced to a twelve month term in February last for robbing a well known New Westminster citizen and taking \$500 from his victim; Henry serving a term of eighteen months for stealing a purse from a lady at Vancouver's street fair last month.

## LASHED TO A RAFT.

Owner of Schooner Picked Up On Lake  
Huron—Three Companions  
Missing.

(Associated Press.)

Port Huron, Mich., Sept. 21.—After having been lost on Lake Huron for over two days without food and wet to the skin, W. D. Hagan, owner of the schooner Jupiter, which became waterlogged in Saginaw bay on Sunday, has been rescued by a fishing tug off L'Isle Island. He was lashed to a raft and was unconscious.

Three companions who went with him when the Jupiter was abandoned are believed to have been drowned. Captain Tanson, his wife and child, and one of the crew from the Jupiter were picked up on Wednesday.

## ERRE FOLLOWED COLLISION.

Petroleum Train Dashed Into an Express  
—Eight Persons Killed and  
Nine Injured.

(Associated Press.)

Bucharest, Roumania, Sept. 21.—The express for Vienna collided this morning at Polota with a petroleum train, killing eight persons and injuring nine. The petroleum train, which dashed into the rear of the express, was descending an incline at the time. Eighteen petroleum cars were set on fire and the express train was completely destroyed.

## LAWYERS ARE READY.

The Trial of McKinley's Assassin Will  
Probably Commence on Monday.

(Associated Press.)

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 21.—Justices Lewis and Titus, who were assigned to defend Czolgosz, have just announced that they will accept, and that they will be ready to proceed with the case on Monday morning.

## VANCOUVER NOTES.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, Sept. 21.—F. W. Peters, general freight agent, today confirmed the statement that the Pacific Coast Steamship Company intended to put on a steamer between here and Seattle, although it is not yet settled whether it will be the Yosemite or another vessel. Walker Bradley was arrested this morning charged with stealing money and goods from the Bloomfield restaurant.

## EXPLOSION ON FERRY BOAT.

(Associated Press.)

Parkersburg, Va., Sept. 21.—A gasoline ferry boat running between Elizabeth and Fletstone, on the Kanawha river, blew up this morning. Several dead and injured are on the way to this city on a special train.

## OATS

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## UNVEILED STATUE OF LATE QUEEN

CEREMONY PERFORMED  
BY THE DUKE TO-DAY

Speech by His Royal Highness—Presen-  
tation of Medals—Lieut. Holland  
Received the Victoria Cross.

(Associated Press.)

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—The Royal party is favored with splendid weather for the second day of its sojourn in the capital. The air is fresh, but the sun gleams down from a sea of blue and brings into better view the lavish decorations of the principal streets and buildings. The stay in Ottawa till Tuesday next gives the distinguished visitors some opportunity for rest, which His Royal Highness certainly looks as though he needed.

At 10 o'clock the newly titled Canadians received their honors at the hands of His Royal Highness at Rideau Hall. A chapter of the Order of St. Michael and St. George was conferred for the occasion, which was also made to embrace Canadian officers honored for services in South Africa.

At 11 o'clock His Royal Highness with his suite passed over Royal Alexandra bridge to Hull, visiting the scene of the first of last year.

Returning to Ottawa by Chaudiere, the party obtained a view of Ottawa's grand river power. Preceded by his escort, His Royal Highness proceeded to Parliament hill, where he unveiled, with belting ceremony, the statue of Her late Majesty the Queen, which has been erected at the instance of the Dominion government.

Following this ceremony came the presentation of South African war medals. About two hundred of Canada's South African heroes were honored by the receipt of these medals.

The Duke's Speech.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—While unveiling the statue to the late Queen, His Royal Highness, who wore the Fusilier uniform with busby, said a few words just as the canvas dropped expressive of his appreciation in being present and assisting in the inauguration of the national monument.

"May each succeeding generation," he said, "look up to this beautiful statue and feel grateful for all her long and glorious reign achieved for Canada. She was, as some have truly said, the mother of our people."

After cheers and the National Anthem came the presentation of medals. The Victoria Cross was pinned on the chest of Lieut. Eddie Holland, while the Duke of Rothesay, A. D. C., recited the circumstances under which it was earned. The Prince spoke to most of the men who already wore medals. Both the Duke and Duchess had kind words for Pte. Mulloy, R. C. D., who lost his eyesight at Witpoort.

A feature of the show was that in spite of the militia order by O'Grady, Italy, more than half the soldiers present themselves for medals in their khaki uniforms.

A feature of to-day's proceedings in connection with the presence of their Royal Highnesses, the Duke and Duchess of York, was the ceremony of conferring honors on those Canadians who were specially signalled out for favors by His Highness. The list has already been published.

In connection with this investiture there was a meeting of the chapter of Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George held at Rideau Hall, where the honors were conferred. Lieut. Governor Jette, of Quebec, and Sir John Boyd, of Ontario, were made K. C. M. G.'s. President Shaughnessy, of the Canadian Pacific, was honored with K. B. The other honors conferred were C. M. G.'s.

At 1 o'clock the Duke was the guest of honor at the Rideau Club, where he was tendered a luncheon. A garden party at Rideau Hall closes the day's proceedings.

Another Degree.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—Toronto university will honor His Royal Highness the Duke of Cornwall and York with the degree of LL.D.

## ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

(Associated Press.)

St. John, N. B., Sept. 21.—Roland Prickles, of Springfield, King's county, while hunting yesterday afternoon met a tragic death. He had placed his gun down when it accidentally discharged, and the bullet entered his body. He struggled out of the woods, met some ladies, asked them for a drink of water, and as he received it he fell dead.

The table upon which Cromwell wrote when he affixed his signature to the war rant for the execution of Charles I. was recently sold for \$145.

## WITH ROOSEVELT IN CUBA.

Capt. Lee Says People May Expect  
Great Things From President's  
Administration.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Sept. 21.—Captain Arthur Lee, formerly military attaché of the British embassy in Washington, sails to-day for England, after a brief visit to this country. Captain Lee represented the English army here during the Spanish-American war, and was on the island of Cuba when President Roosevelt was there as colonel of volunteers. Captain Lee is quoted as follows:

"I became acquainted with the new President in Cuba, and practically ate and slept with him throughout a large part of the campaign. We became intimate friends, and for my part I think that the people of this country have nothing to fear, but great things to expect from his administration."

"I have studied the man at close range, and it is almost annoying to me to hear the expression made that he is of the hot-headed type. I know him to be conservative in all his actions, and his statement that he will carry out the policy of his predecessor will be believed in England notwithstanding the fact that much has been sent there as information which is calculated to create uneasiness respecting his future actions as President."

## THANKSGIVING DAY.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—An order-in-council has been passed appointing Thursday, October 31st, a day of general Thanksgiving for the Dominion.

## THE CZAR AT A REVIEW.

(Associated Press.)

Bethelny, France, Sept. 21.—The Czar, Carina and President Loubet at 1 p. m. concluded a review of 140,000 troops on the plan of Bethelny. The march past lasted from 10 till 11.15, terminating in a magnificent charge of 20,000 cavalry.

The spectacle was intensely imposing as the infantry went by 150 files deep with fixed bayonets.

President Loubet, at the luncheon which followed the review, in proposing the health of the Czar and the Carina, said:

"Sir,—In thanking Your Majesty and Her Majesty the Empress, in the name of the French republic, for having been so good as to attend the cheering spectacles of the last few days, my thought goes back to the great political act which preceded them, and which lends them their whole significance. Prepared and concluded by your august father, Emperor Alexander the III., and President Carnot, and solemnly proclaimed on board the Admiral Potemkin by Your Majesty and President Faure, the alliance of Russia and France has had time to affirm its character and bear fruit. It now may be said to be essentially pacific."

idea from which it arose, no more can anyone fail to perceive that it has contributed powerfully to the maintenance of the balance between the forces of Europe, another end of peace which to be fruitful could not be precarious. It has developed with the years, and the questions which have arisen have found it watchful and resolute, reconciling its interests with the general interests of the world. It is moderate because it is strong, and wise over in the advance to settlements which are inspired by justice and humanity. (Sensation.)

"The good which it has done is a pledge that it will do still more, and it is in that full confidence that, after paying tribute to the memory of the noble founder of the work, of which this day is a magnificent consecration, I raise my glass to the glory and happiness of Your Majesty, the happiness of Her Majesty and of all her family, and to the greatness and prosperity of Russia, the friend and ally of France."

## FOR ISLANDER SUFFERERS.

(Associated Press.)

Substantial Contributions Received for Benefit of Those Who Are Distressed.

The total subscriptions in aid of the sufferers from the Islander disaster has now reached the substantial sum of \$713. All intending subscribers are requested to make their contributions during the next few days, as it is desired to distribute the money as soon as possible. The contributions thus far received are as follows:

Corporation of the City of Victoria	\$250.00
Chas. Hayward, mayor	20.00
Dan & H. Peck	2.50
John Connel, New Westminster	5.00
Colonist Printing and Publishing Co.	10.00
Company (date published)	117.50
Simon Lelzer	20.00
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Bank of Victoria	25.00
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Dr. T. J. Jones	5.00
Wm. Tompkins	5.00
Victor C. Murf	5.00
Wm. Humphreys	1.00
Bank of British North America	25.00

## WILL AGAIN ASK FOR INTERVENTION

PETITIONS FOR THE  
CZAR AND ROOSEVELT

Boers Are Active Around the Scenes of  
Former Engagements—Fighting  
Reported South of Stormberg.

(Associated Press.)

London, Sept. 21.—Mr. Kruger and Dr. Leyds are drawing up petitions to President Roosevelt and the Czar, asking them to intervene.

The fighting Boers are helping themselves in South Africa by celebrating the expiration of the period in which Lord Kitchener promised they must surrender by four notable successes.

The situation is singularly like the opening of the war two years ago, the names of the same places recurring in the dispatches. Utrecht, where Major Gough was entrapped, was the scene of a similar ambush eighteen months back.

Acton Homes, where the Boers yesterday reappeared, is eighteen miles southwest of Ladysmith, prominent in the early hostilities, and the Natal colonials are mastering for the defence of the Tugela as when Gen. Joubert invaded Natal in 1899. In Cape Colony fighting is again going on south of Stormberg.

The Times, while it has no misgivings as to the final issue, accuses the home officials of lack of organized, sustained efforts, of a disposition to postpone military operations for financial considerations, and of failure to grasp the moral and intellectual damage which the prolongation of the struggle inflicts on the Empire.

Other ministerial supporters aver that previous months which should have been spent in preparing for another campaign were wasted in electioneering, and that Lord Kitchener has not been supplied with the requisites for war. So soon as Lord Kitchener squeezes one part of the sponge the mobile Boers trickle away at the other parts. The vast war field is continually recruited from the rebel Dutch and supplied out of British convoys by rebel sympathizers. It is pointed out that it is convenient for the Boers to have in their hands numbers of British at a time when a harsher policy is advocated.

Appeal For Arbitration.

The Hague, Sept. 21.—Ramon von Linden, the minister of foreign affairs, has forwarded to the legations and members of the council of the court of arbitration a copy of the Boer appeal for arbitration, with a notification that he intends to bring the appeal for consideration at the first meeting of the council. The date of the meeting is not fixed.

## THE NANAIMO FAIR

Formally Opened by Lieut. Governor  
Yesterday Afternoon—His Honor's  
Remarks.

The 21st annual exhibition of the Nanaimo District Agricultural and Horticultural Society was formally opened yesterday afternoon by His Honor the Lieut. Governor, who with Lady Joly, his granddaughter, Miss Boswell, and R. B. Powell, Sir Henry's private secretary, had arrived on the noon train.

They were met at the station by a guard of honor consisting of the Church Lads' Brigade and headed by the Silver Cornet band. The gubernatorial party were received by Mayor Manson and Messrs. J. W. B. McInnes, M. L. A., J. H. Hawthorthwaite, M. L. A., and Mrs. Hawthorthwaite, S. M. Robins, superintendent of the New Vancouver Coal Co., President Stevenson, of the citizens' committee, and Messrs. Stevenson, President Booth of the Agricultural Society, and Mr. Booth, Rev. C. E. Cooper and Mrs. Cooper, and members of the city council and others.

At the main tent of the fair the Lieut. Governor very graciously crowned the Queen of the Fair, Miss Quennell. The civic address to His Honor was then read by Mayor Manson.

In acknowledging the address His Honor said it afforded him great satisfaction to be in Nanaimo that day for the purpose of opening the annual agricultural exhibition. He thanked them for their kind welcome not only on his own behalf, but also on that of his wife. They had alluded to the wonderful dispositions of Providence by which their city had been established on one of the richest coal fields in the world and they had spoken hopefully of the future. He trusted that their dreams would be realized and that Nanaimo would become the Newcastle of the Pacific slope. He was glad to see by the reference made to Mr. Robins, the energetic superintendent of the New Vancouver Coal Company, that they were grateful to him for the work he had done in advancing the interests of the city. He was glad to find that Mr. Robins had a warm place in the hearts of the citizens of Nanaimo. They said that coal was king, and he was reminded of the familiar rhyme that "Old King Cole was a merry old soul," and he hoped the subjects of King Coal were also merry and enjoying that prosperity and happiness which should be the portion of men who sell and use coal.

The formal proceedings concluded with three cheers for the Lieutenant Governor and for Lady Joly.

The longest time drying which a net has remained outside the Bank of England is 111 years. It was for 225 and 18 1/4 counted that the compound interest during that long period amounted to no less than \$6,900.

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## WINNIPEGGERS ARE MUCH DISAPPOINTED

### PROGRAMME OF ROYAL VISIT IS ALTERED

The Duke Will Not Officiate at Laying of Foundation Stone of Queen Victoria Memorial.

Ottawa, Sept. 20.—After today's in-crowded match, which was witnessed by the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, Lord and Lady Minto and brilliant staff, the Duke was presented with the hall which had been used, and a lacrosse stick enclosed, in a handsome leather case. He then handed the Minto Cup over to the winners and left the grounds amid the cheers of the thousands of spectators.

To-night the Royal party were entertained at an official dinner at Government House by the Governor-General and Countess of Minto. One hundred guests were present. After the dinner the members of the party drove up town to see the illuminations and decorations. The electrical effects on the parliament buildings were simply superb. The Pan-American exposition was considered the best of the night in this line, but visitors here claimed that the electrical illuminations of Ottawa transcended those at Buffalo.

Among the addresses presented to-day was one from the Canadian club of Boston. The address said in part:

"In the state of Massachusetts, there are nearly three hundred thousand residents of Canadian birth, and the Canadian club of Boston, voicing the sentiments of this vast number, extend to you a sincere and hearty greeting. We, the Canadian residents in the great republic, in particular desire to establish in your mind the fact that we have not forgotten our love for the reigning family in England, that we have not lapsed in our affection for our native land, and we join with all Canada in extending to you and Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Cornwall and York on this visit to Canadian shores, a hearty, genuine welcome, and that we wish you a long, happy and prosperous life, crowned with success and contentment."

#### Programme Altered.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 20.—Lieutenant-Governor McMillan received a dispatch from Ottawa this morning stating that the Duke will not officiate at the ceremony of laying the foundation of the Victoria Memorial. The alteration had been made because of the Duke's departure for the States.

The decision caused much dissatisfaction to those who have worked so hard to get everything in shape for the laying of the stone and a certain amount of disappointment is expressed. Interference with the programme is thought to be the ground on which action is withheld.

#### HAWAIIAN TRIALS.

Appeal from Judge Foster's Decision Will Be Taken to United States Supreme Court.

Honolulu, via San Francisco, Sept. 20.—United States Judge Foster has decided that the constitution of the United States is extended to the Hawaiian Islands by the Newlands resolution, sustaining the decision of Circuit Judge Gear and reversing the Supreme Court of Hawaii.

The decision was rendered in the case of a Japanese convicted of manslaughter without the indictment of a grand jury and on a verdict of nine trial jurors. An appeal from Judge Foster's decision will be taken to the United States Supreme Court. The decision, if it shall stand, will have a very important effect. There are 25 or 30 prisoners in Oahu who were convicted illegally, and all may have to be tried over again. Some of the cases are old ones in which the witnesses cannot be found. Large sums collected by the Hawaiian government in tariffs also may have to be refunded.

#### CHINESE VICEROYS RESIGN.

Protest Against the Action of Anti-Foreign Conservatives.

Hongkong, Sept. 20.—Viceroy Tso Ma, of the province of Kwang Tung and Kwang Si, and Viceroy Liu Kua Yi, of the provinces of Kiang Si and Kiang Su, have forwarded their resignations to Sun Yu, accompanied by a protest against the usurpation of power by the anti-foreign Conservatives.

#### RETURNING BISHOPS.

London, Sept. 20.—The Anchor line steamer "Argyle," which sailed from Glasgow yesterday for New York, took among her passengers the following bishops: J. W. Atabek, Montgomery, Ala.; E. Cottrell, Holly Springs, Miss.; C. R. Harris, Salisbury, N. C.; T. H. Lomas, Charlotte, N. C.; J. B. Small, York, Pa.; G. W. Clinton, Charlotte, N. C.; A. Walters, Jersey City, N. J.; and R. S. Williams, Augusta, Ga. She also had on board twenty-five Methodist ministers.

## CONFERRED WITH PREMIER.

The Czar Yesterday Had a Long Interview With M. Waldeck-Rousseau.

Compiegne, Sept. 20.—Emperor Nicholas exercised the prerogative of an autocrat to-day and kept President Loubet and all the French occupants of the Chateau de Compiegne under the same roof. The whole morning until he had signified his desires. It was fully expected that he would drive to Pierre Fonds and visit the castle, and afterwards he would go shooting in the great park at the Chateau de Compiegne. All arrangements had been made, and the Emperor had been brought specially last evening and left in the cars.

But he did nothing of the kind. His Majesty remained in his apartments after breakfast, quietly until 10 o'clock, when he took a short promenade in the gardens, staid in a dark, lace veil and in her invariable black mourning and followed by a band. The Empress carried her camera with which she took a number of views.

After returning to the chateau, the Emperor had a long interview with M. Waldeck-Rousseau, the French Premier. It lasted at least two hours. Count Lamour, the Russian foreign minister, also conferred with M. Delcasse, the French minister of foreign affairs.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST.

Toronto, Sept. 20.—James Lewis, a street car conductor, was committed for trial to-day for causing the death of his son, Roy, from diphtheria. Lewis is a Christian Scientist, and neglected to call in a physician.

#### A TRIP TO SWEDEN.

Helsingborg, Sweden, Sept. 20.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra arrived here at noon to-day on the British Royal Mail "Osage." The King of Sweden received them at the landing stage. The Royal party drove to the castle of Sofiero, cheered by the populace.

#### COPPER DIVIDEND.

New York, Sept. 20.—The directors of the Amalgamated Copper Company to-day declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. No extra dividend was declared.

**DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION**  
MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG AND SICK WOMEN WELL.

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Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free. Correspondence private. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Choice Dairy Butter 26c lb.  
Choice Potatoes...90c sack

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"I.X.L." ... 30c  
"A.B.C." ... 40c  
"Aunt Lal" ... 40c  
"Raja" ... 20c

## HARDRESS CLARKE, 86 Douglas St.

## IN PREPARATION FOR ROYAL VISIT

### VICTORIA PUTTING ON BRIGHT GALA DRESS

Large Staff of Decorators Now at Work—Something About Programme and the Arrangements.

The work of giving Victoria a gala appearance is now in full swing. A large staff of men have been busily engaged during the past few days, and the result of their labors is apparent in the arch frames on James Bay bridge, at the intersection of Yates and Douglas streets, and the twin bastions on Belleville street.

But this is hardly more than preliminary labor. As the work progresses and more men are required, the number will be doubled, and it is expected all will be employed in decorating almost until the arrival of the august visitors the Duke and Duchess of York and suite.

The decorations will be most elaborate. In fact it will be worth a visit of a hundred miles to the city to view them, even if the visitor is unable to catch a glimpse of the Royal personages in whose honor they are displayed. The decoration committee, of which George Jeeves is chairman, have been allowed \$4,000 by the main body in charge of the programme, and so far have made the most judicious use of their money. They have just received, through John Piercy & Co., the flags, bunting and other decorative material costing about \$1,000, and it certainly is an imposing outfit.

Among the patriotic devices are four banners, one of felt and the other three of wool bunting. They are of different colors, but the first is a magnificent affair. It is about five feet square, beautifully ornamented. In the centre is an open Bible and partly above and partly beneath is the inscription: "The Secret of England's Greatness," the reference being to the holy book represented on the banner. There is a story connected with this device, the authenticity of which is vouched for by the chairman of the committee.

During the reign of Her Majesty the late Queen she was visited by one of the princely representatives of her Indian Empire. Struck with the power and glory of the British Empire, in an outburst of enthusiasm he "inscribed" the secret of England's greatness. In reply Her Majesty silently pointed to an open Bible.

Whether the opulent Mussulman saw the force of the answer or appreciated its truth, the chairman did not say, but the story is a credible one, and exemplifies vividly the late Queen's piety and reliance upon the word of God. The banner is a striking tribute to the good taste of the decoration committee. True, they did not design it, but there were innumerable other equally attractive but lacking the beautiful and expressive solution of the secret of an Empire's greatness.

This will be placed on the Victoria Bay bridge, which is now rapidly assuming a most striking appearance. Of the large flag there are 24 Canadian ensigns, 5 dozen red ensigns, the 4 banners just mentioned, 170 bannets, 682 pennants, 20 shields with flag fixtures holding representative flags of the different British dominions, 17 banners with the inscription "God Save the King on them, 18 with "God Save the Prince," 2 dozen Duke and Duchess of York pictures, 40 or 50 dozen flags of various descriptions, 4 dozen St. George's crosses, 4 dozen Union Jacks, 12,000 yards of red, white and blue bunting, national shields of various kinds, and which there are 3 dozen and 3,000 buttons and badges for the school children with pictures of the Duke and Duchess.

This is only a partial list, but it will not be long before the people of Victoria will have an opportunity of seeing for themselves.

The first arch under which the procession will pass on the way from the outer wharf will be not far from the landing place. The government has undertaken the decorations from the wharf to the James Bay bridge. On Belleville street the Native Sons are erecting two bastions of great activity. For the past several days workmen have been employed in transforming the superstructure of this bridge into a wilderness of poles and scaffolding. At the south end is the Duke's arch, and at the north end the Queen Victoria arch. Between the two there are six intermediary Norman arches, while along the sides of the roadway on the bridge are a number of Venetian poles. These have all been erected, and the work of draping them will be prosecuted with all dispatch, the material having arrived. On the southern arch there will be conspicuously displayed pictures of the Duke and Duchess, which will be illuminated with electric lights in the night.

and blue, will be strung rows of lanterns and flags. Above these at a proper distance there will be another line of flags and mottoes. There will be a row of evergreens also along the chains.

The skeleton has been constructed; now the daintier and more artistic labor is required. If the weather clerk will only be more propitious and give the men a chance the work will be finished in good time. Fortunately, owing to the wealth of decorations the Royal party will hardly be able to get a glimpse of the mud flats, the city's colossal sorrow. In fact it would not be out of order to hint to the decoration committee the advisability of carefully and cunningly concealing that expense of mud from view. Otherwise even so noble a spectacular effect as that now being prepared would hardly counteract the demoralizing influence exerted by the mire below.

The streets to be decorated are Government from the bridge to Cornermarket and Yates from Government to Quadra. Across Government street every few feet bunting will be strung. Rows of incandescent lights, now all ready across, will give the main artery of the city a beautiful appearance. This illumination will be the background of evergreen every few yards will make a brilliant spectacle and Government street will appear to be encased in an illuminated cope of green.

Along the telephone poles lanterns, flags, with mottoes and bannets will be strung and every known device utilized to sustain the appearance presented by James Bay bridge. Venetian poles will be placed on Yates street from Government to Quadra, and flags, lanterns, bunting, will constitute its gala dress.

The Queen Victoria memorial arch at the northern end of James Bay bridge will be decorated with Royal purple and mourning colors.

The parliament buildings will present a most attractive appearance. The Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works, W. G. Gore, says there will be no attempt at decoration in the way of flags and bunting, but workmen are now busy employed installing incandescent lights. There will be 1,200 of these, and they will make the angles and corners of the buildings.

The tower will be a blaze of light, a lamp of two hundred candle power being employed to illuminate it. Arches are being erected at the two main entrances to the grounds on Belleville street. Along the front of the grounds on the same street there will be festoons of Chinese lanterns and bannets. Flags will also be liberally employed.

The interior of the legislative chamber where the reception will be held will be decorated with foliage, plants and palms. Some bunting will also be employed for decoration purposes.

The Dominion government has also issued instructions that fitting decorations are to be installed. These will include the new and old post offices in Victoria, the old custom house, Victoria, and the drill halls in Vancouver and New Westminster. About 800 lights are being installed by the electricians on the post office, and flags and bunting will be liberally employed in adorning the buildings.

When the procession en route from the outer wharf reaches the parliament buildings under the arch at the western entrance, and halt at the steps, where the civic address will be presented, and 3,000 or 4,000 school children, who will be massed in an advantageous and prominent position will sing the National Anthem and the "Maple Leaf." That is if the weather proves favorable. If, however, the clerk sees fit to open the flood gates or otherwise makes things disagreeable, the proceedings will take place inside.

These finished the Royal procession will proceed down the avenue out under the arch at the east entrance across the bridge along Government street to Yates and up Yates along the route to Oak Bay.

At 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day the procession with the admiral will take place, and at 4 o'clock His Royal Highness will open the exhibition of the B. C. Agricultural and Mining Association. He will be received by the officers of the association and various dignitaries, and after formally opening the show will be escorted through the buildings and grounds in the evening the official dinner at His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor's residence will be held. The city will be illuminated, and possibly there will be fireworks. This last feature is uncertain, but at any rate it is altogether probable that some of the patriotic displays will hold informal pro-technic displays of their own. Most people

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ple, like to take advantage of an opportunity to set off fireworks.

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It is quite likely that instead of the Indian war dance another attraction will be substituted.

In the meantime preparations are proceeding apace. The members of the various sub-committees are omitting no detail which could contribute toward making Victoria's demonstration one that will impress the Royal visitors in whose honor many more preparations, but none more sincere, have been held.

In connection with the presentation of medals, Col. Holmes has given an opinion that where the recipients do not belong to any corps they may parade in khaki. This point is occasioning a great deal of heart burning in the East, the department having issued an order which leaves the matter in doubt. The men of the contingents in Ottawa decided to parade in khaki, whereupon the department issued the following order:

"With reference to M.O. 153 (I.E.), some misapprehension appears to exist as regards the instructions for the dress of those persons who are to receive South African medals from H. R. H. the Duke of Cornwall and York during his tour in Canada.

"Officers, non-commissioned officers and men serving in units of the active militia must attend in the prescribed uniform of the militia corps to which they belong in accordance with Canadian regulations. To do otherwise would be an act of gross disrespect to His Royal Highness, of which no Canadian soldier should be guilty. Individuals who have been discharged from any of the special services corps, and who are not now enrolled in any Canadian unit, are simply civilians, and as such are not in any way under the orders of the militia department."

The effect of this order is that any man entitled to a medal, not a member of the militia, can appear in any garb he pleases, but he will have to appear in the uniform of some corps or run the chance of being court-martialed.

General O'Grady-Haly says he had nothing to do with the men who did not belong to any corps. "They are not under my command," he said. "They are merely civilians. When the Imperial Yeomanry received their medals in London, such men who after receiving their discharge became civilians had to parade in civilian clothing, and why should there be a change from that rule here?"

The Major-General announced that the bars would not be presented with the medals, as they had not arrived from England yet.

The department of militia has decided that all corps participating in guards of honor, escorts, etc., during the visit of the Duke of Cornwall and York will receive an extra daily allowance of 25 cents per man in addition to the regular army pay of their rank.

Melton Prior, the famous English artist, is among the party of artists and pressmen with the Royal party, and will sketch and describe the tour of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York through Canada.

E. F. Jarvis, of the department of militia and defence, is about to leave Ottawa in connection with his work of distributing medals. He will arrive on the Coast on September 28th or 29th. On his arrival a list of those who will parade for the presentation will be handed him, and by this list he will be guided, so that every man entitled to the medal must, to avoid further bother and delay, have his claim filed before that time.

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The company had met the usual difficulties in getting the works under way, but is now turning out pig iron and finding a market for it not only throughout Canada, but also in Glasgow. Ore can be laid down at Sydney at a cost considerably less than the estimate, and the total cost of production will also be somewhat less than estimated.

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Cleveland, Ohio, of Sandusky, N. Y., aged 17, who was arrested in connection with the shooting of William Mills near Sandusky last Saturday, has admitted that he and his companion, Ralph Kuntze, were 15 years old at the shooting. Their intention was to join Mrs. Mills, who was supposed to have a small sum of money. John Spiers, a Veteran Winniepeger, father of ex-Alderman Spiers, died yesterday, aged 71.

## THE TWO ZIONITES WERE COMMITTED

**BROOKS AND ROGERS  
MUST STAND TRIAL**

Preliminary Hearing in the Police Court  
Yesterday Before Magistrate Hall  
—Accused Had No Counsel.

In the police court yesterday afternoon John Rogers and Eugene Brooks were committed for trial on the charges in the information in the case of Victoria Helen Rogers.

Neither of the accused was represented by counsel, but the case for the prosecution was conducted by H. A. McLean, deputy attorney-general.

Mr. McLean expressed a desire to withdraw the two informations, which had been laid, substituting others, which would cover both cases. These were the charges against the father, John Rogers, for neglecting to furnish the necessities of life to his infant children Victoria Helen and Cecil Alexander Rogers, the charges of accessory negligence on the part of Brooks, and the general charge of manslaughter against both prisoners.

The informations were then read to the accused. The first witness examined was James Wilson, sanitary inspector, who, being sworn and under examination by the deputy attorney-general, said that on September 14th on receipt of information he proceeded to Rogers's house, accompanied by Dr. Hart, the coroner. They found the dead body of Helen Victoria Rogers, which witness took to the morgue.

He was present at the post mortem which was made by Dr. Frank Hall, Dr. Fraser, Fagan and Hart, also being present. He visited Rogers's house on the next day at 2 o'clock. Rogers did not ask him to get him anything in the way of stimulants or medicines. The appearances would denote that Rogers was able to obtain necessities and medical attendance. The house was quarantined at that time for diphtheria. Witness returned at 3 o'clock, and took Mr. Rogers to the inquest over the death of Victoria Helen. He went back to the house after the inquest with Rogers, and found the baby, Cecil Alexander, dead. He took the body to the morgue on the evening of the same day. He was not present at the post mortem examination.

To Rogers "I am not certain whether you told me that the doctor had not called while on the way. I know that you made enough noise about it when you returned home. You mentioned it to me after the baby was dead."

Dr. Fagan, the provincial health officer, was next sworn, and testified that he attended the post mortem examination on Victoria Helen. Dr. Hall performed the autopsy, and Dr. Fraser was also present. Witness made bacteriological examination of specimens from the child's throat, and found the diphtheric bacillus. There was diphtheric membrane in the throat. As to treatment in the earlier stages of diphtheria, antitoxin was usually resorted to, and together with special treatment of the throat, such as swabbing with antiseptics, was very effective. In cases of strangulation tracheotomy was performed. Inhalations must be given frequently and applications every second hour. Such treatment had a very beneficial effect, and undoubtedly prolonged life. From his bacteriological examination, and what he saw at the autopsy he would say that the child died of diphtheria.

He also took specimens from the throat of the baby, and found the diphtheric bacillus. He found no membrane in the child's throat. Stimulating nourishment was the treatment for patients who were convalescing from a severe attack of diphtheria. If there were not administrative death from exhaustion was likely to ensue. The death of the second child was due to diphtheria.

Elder Brooks—"Would you swear that the child's life would have been prolonged by medical treatment?" Answer—"Yes, I will swear it."

F. S. Hussey, superintendent of provincial police, was next examined. He stated that on September 4th he took a statement from Rogers at his home. Dr. Hart the coroner was also present. The latter informed Rogers that his statement was voluntary, and he was not compelled to sign it.

The statement was then submitted and identified by the witness. It was as follows:

"Victoria, B.C., September 4th, 1901.  
"John Rogers, 22 Seward Avenue—Am the father of Victoria Helen Rogers, now deceased. The child would be four years, of age October 22nd next. First taken sick two weeks ago to-day, called no medical assistance. The Reverend Brooks first called about one week ago and prayed for the child's recovery, and advised my wife and self to quarantine ourselves as it was likely to be something contagious, and we did so by keeping strangers out. Did not put up any notice and did not notify the health authorities. After the first visit of Brooks the child improved. The child got worse afterwards, and last Monday night it did not rest well. Brooks called several times and looked at the child, and he was present this morning when the child died. He stated previous to death that he did not know whether it was suffering from croup or diphtheria. There were no symptoms of strangulation at any time. Brooks prayed for the child before it died this morning."

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morning, wife and self were both present, and the child died in my wife's arms. I asked Brooks what I had better do, and he advised me to see an undertaker, and that he would advise me as to what steps should be taken, and suggested Mr. Hanna. A boy named Jimmy Armstrong, who lives near us, was then sick with sore throat after my son Willie, who first contracted the disease. My wife was the second one to take it, and afterwards Helen, the deceased, took the same disease. Brooks prayed for my wife three or four times and she got better. Brooks also prayed for Willie several times. We don't believe in medicine or doctors, and that is why we did not send for one. I don't think I would have sent for a doctor under any circumstances. The teachings of Brooks and the literature supplied by him are responsible for my belief and conduct. I have been a convert to the Christian Catholic church in Zion for the past fifteen months, and my wife has been a convert also for the same length of time and is of the same opinion as myself in respect to doctors and medicine. My wife had a very bad throat and it looked patchy and smoky very bad. I thought it might be diphtheria. I also thought that Willie and Helen had the same disease. The baby, six months of age, is now sick with the same disease. My family consisted of self and wife, Willie Louis Rogers, age 3 years; Dorothy Mary, age 7 years; Victoria Helen, age 4 years; and Cecil Alexander, age 6 months only.

"The above statement is correct."  
J. ROGERS.

"F. S. H."  
Rogers here explained that he had protested against that part which said that Elder Brooks "had looked at the children," as it would be open to the misconception that the elder had closely examined them.

The witness recalled that Rogers had mentioned this. Rogers also asked if Dr. Hart had not promised him that the statement would not be used against him and that it was not compulsory to sign it.

Witness—"No, I don't think Dr. Hart said that. I did not hear it, and feel certain that no promise nor guarantee was given."

Dr. E. C. Hart, the coroner, the next witness, testified that he accompanied Superintendent Hussey to Rogers's house. Rogers gave the statement, but hesitated somewhat about signing it. Witness thereupon told him, either voluntary or in response to a question, that it was not compulsory. He did not promise that it would not be used against him. Rogers had no objection to giving information.

Witness went to Rogers's house the first time at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. On one of his visits he examined the other children and found the mother and eldest boy with inflamed throats and hoarseness—typical throats in the convalescent stage of diphtheria. The throat of the eldest girl was also inflamed. The baby was very sick. Witness told Rogers directly that the baby had diphtheria.

He reported the case to Dr. Fraser, and together they went to the house between 8 and 9 o'clock. The baby was very much the same as in the afternoon. Dr. Fraser examined it, and witness believed the other children also. He distinctly heard Dr. Fraser advise them to stimulate the baby with spirits, as it was very weak. Witness was present at post mortem examination on Victoria Helen Rogers. She undoubtedly died of diphtheria.

In response to the magistrate, Rogers replied that he had no questions, but the last witness had made two false statements. When Dr. Fraser visited the house the second time the body had been removed to the morgue, and was not, as he said, in the same position as when he first saw it.

The witness admitted that this was correct, the circumstance having escaped his memory.

Elder Brooks—"What was your object in taking a statement from Mr. Rogers?" Answer—"I did not go there to take a statement, but to ascertain whether an inquest was necessary. I have power to take statements under oath if required. I took none from Mr. Rogers. Supt. Hussey took that statement."

In reply to Rogers, the witness said that he did not question closely on his second visit. Supt. Hussey did the questioning.

Rogers replied that when he signed the statement he was given to understand that it would not be used against him.

The magistrate remarked that the statement was receivable against him as long as no promise was made that it should not be so used.

Rogers—"That was what I was promised when I signed it."  
The magistrate—"The evidence is against you on that point. Both Doctor Hart and the superintendent have sworn that it was a perfectly voluntary statement."

Continuing, the witness said he was coroner of the inquest over the child, Victoria Helen. On the first occasion Rogers refused to answer questions except under compulsion. Subsequently he desired his objections recalled and made a voluntary statement.

This was then produced by Mr. McLean, identified by the coroner, and put in evidence. Witness was also coroner before whom the inquest on the late Cecil Alexander Rogers was held. No objection was registered to giving evidence in this inquest.

The depositions of Brooks and Rogers in the second inquest were then put in evidence. Witness was then sworn. He stated that he first went to the Rogers house on the day Victoria Helen died. He examined all the members of the family. The mother had a diphtheric throat, and other diphtheric indications. The eldest boy and eldest girl had the same. The baby was lying asleep and had no difficulty in breathing, and there was no diphtheric membrane in its throat. It looked pale and weak, but witness did not think it had diphtheria. He advised the parents to administer stimulants. The father did not say anything, but the mother demurred to giving stimulants.

Witness promised to return the next day, but did not do so. His explanation for this was that his term as health officer expired that night, and that he reported the case to Dr. Robertson, his successor. He was present at the post mortem examination. The child, Cecil Alexander,

died of cardiac failure, consequent on an exhaustive disease. Taking into consideration Dr. Fagan's finding of the diphtheric bacillus he would attribute death directly to diphtheria.

Elder Brooks—"Would you swear that the child died of diphtheria?" Answer—"Yes; taking into consideration the fact of there being diphtheria in the house and the result of Dr. Fagan's examination of the specimens taken from the child's throat."

Brooks—"Would you swear that physical means would have prolonged its life?" Answer—"Yes."

Brooks—"Can you swear that you will be alive in five minutes' time?" Answer—"No; none can tell the future."

Elder Brooks—"Then your statement is only based on supposition?" Answer—"It is my opinion."

To Rogers, the witness said that he believed he mentioned to Dr. Hart when he was at the house that the time for the removal of the family to the isolation hospital was past. Rogers might have said he was willing to go to the hospital.

Question—"Don't you remember me saying we had no whiskey?" Answer—"Yes, I remember that."

Rogers—"I don't think you heard me make any denial."

William Christie, manager of the C. P. R. telegraph, the next witness, produced a copy of the telegram dispatched to Dr. Dowie, at 10:40 on September 3rd to Dr. Dowie. It was as follows:

Rev. John Alex. Dowie, 1201 Michigan Ave., Chicago:

Pray for Nellie and Baby Rogers. Very sick from diphtheria.

EUGENE BROOKS.

This closed the case for the prosecution. Both the accused were asked if they had anything to say, being duly cautioned. Elder Brooks replied: "I have nothing specially to say at present except that I just wish to say that I feel that the decision in the other case (Maltby's) has really barred the proceedings in this case, and for that reason felt that it was not necessary to have counsel, and the matter having been taken up through the higher courts and decided, for that reason, we very gladly leave the matter in Your Honor's hands believing that you will vindicate the action of the higher court by the new action. We therefore very gladly rest the matter in your hands."

Neither the accused desired to call any witnesses.

Magistrate Hall, then said that as he understood the decision in the Maltby case the accused were acquitted because they were given the benefit of the doubt as to certain facts, and not because the law did not cover the case. There was in his opinion a prima facie case against both, especially in the case of the death of Victoria Helen Rogers, and he therefore committed them for trial.

Brooks then renewed his application for bail, but the magistrate replied that it was out of his power to grant it. An application will be made to the Supreme court.

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#### KLONDIKE'S GOLD RETURNS.

Output Nearing Twenty Million Mark—Value of Dust Sent From Dawson.

Gold export certificates obtained at the gold commissioner's office at Dawson show that during the month of August there was \$30,000,000 in round numbers shipped to the outside world in the precious yellow metal. The total of shipments from Dawson since the 1st of June have amounted to \$18,643,000. The shipments in May, before the law went into effect requiring the issuance of export certificates, would probably raise the total to near \$19,000,000. This would leave but \$1,643,000 more to be sent out this season to raise the total to the handsome sum of \$20,000,000.

The shipments from Dawson each of the summer months was as follows:

June	\$5,918,000
July	9,725,000
August	3,000,000
Total	\$18,643,000

The final shipments of the season will likely not exceed beyond last season, and it is thought that because of this being the last opportunity of the summer to get gold out and about the last month to start from Dawson by steamer that many who have held off to spend the summer in the Klondike may now come out with gold enough to swell the total to far more than what it is.

Dufferin Patullo, chief clerk in the gold office at Dawson, estimates the season's total at \$20,000,000, but there are some who feel that probably it will be larger. The shipments from Dawson do not represent all going from the territory. The Forty Mile, Big Salmon and other mining regions' offices in Yukon are also recording shipments through their hands.

#### REGIMENTAL CHANGES.

Additions to the Strength Recorded in an Order.

The following regimental order has been issued by Col. Gregory:

"The Regiment will parade at the drill hall on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, the 24th and 26th of September instant, at 8:30 o'clock. Dress—Drill order. Staff and band are exempted."

"The following are hereby struck off the roll of the bugle band, having been taken on the strength of No. 3 Company: F. H. Wallace and V. K. Gray."

"The following men having been taken on the strength of the regiment are posted to companies as follows: No. 3 Company, No. 107, Gr. Francis Henry Wallace; No. 111, Gr. Vincent Kestley Gray, 16th September, 1901. No. 4 Company, No. 164, Gr. William Gaskill Owen, 18th September, 1901. No. 5 Company, No. 237, Gr. Robert John Herbert; No. 280, Gr. Frederick Joseph Hines court, 16th September, 1901. No. 6 Company, No. 280, Gr. Thomas Hartley France."

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The girl was then shown in, and the medical man commenced treatment by means of suggestion, which required several attendances. From the first, under the influence of her hysterical mania, she every time carried away from the practitioner's consulting room some small object, which the father sent back next morning.

The medical man ordered his servants not to pay attention to these eccentricities of the patient, who, it was thought, would soon be cured, but one day she carried off a jewel box of great value taken from an adjoining room into which she had been shown.

The owner was not anxious at first; but the missing article was not returned the next day, as the others had been, and the girl never came back.

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## THE PRESENT DUTY.

Before an appeal is taken to the country for the settlement of the existing political differences of British Columbia, it is essential that a redistribution bill shall be passed which will give the electors something like an equal voice in the affairs of the province. It would be nothing short of a scandal, after the revelations made by the Dominion census, if a House elected by the constituencies as at present constituted should be chosen to rule the province for the coming four years. The inequalities in representation have often been pointed out in the press and in the Legislature. They are so glaring that it is not necessary to go into details. They have been maintained to a large extent for the benefit of a party the remnants of which will shortly disappear forever. It would be entirely fitting if the chief of the remnants of their political handiwork should disappear at the same time. The jealousy which was so seriously fomented between the Island and the Mainland for political purposes has also almost entirely disappeared. With the new, and we hope improved, conditions on which we are about to enter, we believe the spirit of antagonism will be entirely overcome and that the only rivalry left will be a healthy emulation in building up and developing the wealthiest portion of the Dominion of Canada, if not of the North American continent. Let the constituencies be divided, then, as fairly as possible, with a different standard of representation, of course, for rural and city divisions, and the province be ruled according to the will of the majority of the people.

The press of the province seems to be almost unanimous in the opinion that the government has lost the confidence of the Legislature—that the party supporting it will be found to be in a minority when the House meets. We do not care to take too dogmatic a stand upon that point. Strange things have happened and extraordinary combinations have been formed in British Columbia. Even if the newspapers be correct in their judgment, the opposition to the administration is not a "homogeneous" mass. Its leaders and followers are very wide apart in their political opinions, with the exception of course of their common hostility to the government. In the event of Mr. Dunsmuir resigning it would be an extremely difficult matter to select a leader from these heterogeneous forces who could command the confidence and support of the whole upon the major questions which continually arise and upon which there is such extreme divergence of view. In a word, it is a matter of grave doubt whether a government could be formed out of the opposition which would be a unit upon any point save hostility to the government. The people are tired of these political upheavals and upsets, and crave stable, progressive government. The whole situation is truly chaotic. But the duty of all parties is clear. They owe it to themselves and to the people they profess to serve to provide for an honest expression of public opinion upon the matters at present in controversy. Whether the

government remains in or the opposition be called upon to take its place, the first thing that should receive consideration is a redistribution bill. There is no reason why an understanding should not be arrived at upon this question and the whole House unite upon carrying it out. It could be dealt with just as effectively by the Dunsmuir government, with the assistance and co-operation of the opposition, as by any other. We still hold that the Premier has the right of appeal to the people if he be possessed of a desire to apply the final test to his case. If it were his will to call the House together and in a short session pass the measure which is so imperative and then appeal to the country no injustice would be wrought. In case he chooses to retire from public life without completing the work which we have pointed out as lying first to hand, all the elements will be thrown into confusion again. If he withdraw after assisting in the passage of a redistribution bill he could do so with honor and dignity and in the consciousness of having rendered a great service to the province. Such a course would give the politicians an opportunity to choose their leaders and marshal their forces for a fight upon federal party lines, which seems to be the only efficacious means of banishing the intrigues, wirepullers and schemers for personal preferment who have brought reproach upon British Columbia public life. In spite of the abuses sometimes perpetrated in the name of party under such a system individuals are responsible to a power higher and more powerful than their own individual will, pleasure or ambition. The progress and welfare of the country exercises a potent influence upon the fortunes of the party. Wholesome restraint thus falls upon the individual and he is called upon to walk circumspectly and act consistently.

## DOCTRINES OF ANARCHY.

The teachings of the Anarchists are quite pungent if they are not altogether lovely. A copy of them was found by the police of Buffalo after the arrest of Cook and the recommendations it contains are what may truthfully be called drastic. The paper which originally printed the rules and regulations for the effective taking off of all representatives of law and authority, the New York Herald, calls them "cruel." It might have said devilish without drawing its language to too fine a point. After binding themselves together to advocate and work for the destruction of the existing social order, with its law and institutions, and the common division of property, and asserting that the government, the law, the schools, the churches and the press are in the way and under the control of the capitalists, and will never consent to the laborers' demands unless compelled by force, it is maintained that all property owned by corporations and individuals should be destroyed and all capital which has been produced by labor should be transferred into common property, for it is only when capital is made common and indivisible that it can be made to partake fully and freely of the fruits of common activity.

Briefly these are the objects aimed at. How are they to be gained? In this manner:

"It is, therefore, self-evident that the fight of the proletariat against the upper and the middle classes must be of a violent character, and that mere water conflicts can never lead to the goal. We show by numerous illustrations that all attempts which have been made in the past to do away with existing monstrous social systems through peaceful means—for example, the ballot box—have been utterly useless, and will be so in the future. We know, therefore, that the ruling class will not voluntarily relinquish its prerogatives, and will make no concessions to us.

"Under all these circumstances there is only one remedy left—force.

"Our platform is simple, and divided as follows:

"(1) Destruction of existing class domination through forcible revolution and international activity.

"(2) The building of a free society on communistic organizations or production.

"(3) Free exchange of equivalent products through the productive organization, without jobbing and profit-making.

"(4) Organization of the educational system upon non-religious lines and on an equal basis for both sexes.

"(5) Equal rights for all without distinction of sex or race.

"(6) The regulation of public affairs through agreements between the independent commune and confederacies."

Then follows a description of the means by which these savage doctrines are to be carried out. In order that the reader may enter thoroughly into the spirit of what follows it is necessary to explain that the words murder and assassination are never used by the members of this gentle cult. "Event" and "action" are substituted for them. They sound better and would not grate so harshly upon the ear of a jury. The following are the instructions issued to those who would be active in the "work":

"There will be three periods in any event: (1) The period of preparation for the action; (2) The moment of the action itself; (3) The portion of time which follows the deed.

"It is easily comprehensible to everybody that the danger of discovery is the greater the more numerous the number of people or the group which contemplates the deed. When a deed is decided upon let a comrade be selected, in the usual way, who does not live at the place of action."

"Whoever is selected and willing to execute the deed must put the question to himself and answer it to the satisfaction of his comrades, as well as his own, whether he is able or not to carry out the action himself. If he gives perfect assurance of sufficient mental control and resolution to perform the deed singly,

let him absolutely initiate no one in the matter; and let him 'act' alone. But if that is not the case, let him look with greatest care for just as many fellows as he must absolutely have—no more, no less. Let there be no discussion of the deed in groups, for useless debates develop and the danger of discovery is enhanced. Let the comrade or comrades observe perfect silence. If there is any talk, then, the thing is at once hung upon a great bell, and it would soon reach the ears of the men who hear the grass grow and the fleas cough. 'Does the selected man possess head as well as heart? Has the formation of the plan been perfected? Is the manner of execution clearly understood? These answered in the affirmative, then let 'action' follow with the greatest possible swiftness. Let there be no delay, for now you move within the scope of the greatest danger, for you may be detected; you may have committed treason or conspiracy, and may be apprehended before you have an opportunity of reaping the precious fruit of your design. So, let us repeat, when these points are settled, strike without delay.

"As to 'action,' as to the scene of action, select personally that point of vantage which secures to you the absolute success, even though some comrade must necessarily sacrifice himself.

"Success! Success! Success! must be the constant watchword, for there is nothing like the success of an action to inspire an impulse for a new deed. Too great care, therefore, cannot be exercised in this matter of selecting the scene of action. If a sacrifice is necessary, let the comrade remember that his death is a martyrdom to the cause, and his memory will be cherished as a patriot. Life is his hand, 'in doing and full of mystery.' What comrade would hesitate to give away his breath for such a glorious moment? But valiant comrades must not sacrifice themselves needlessly, recklessly or foolishly, so it is imperative that all deeds should be done singly whenever practicable, or, if not, by as few as possible.

"Owing to the failure of a number of 'actions' the idea is hereby suggested of poisoned weapons intended to be used for assault; the best suggested is curd, for it is absolutely fatal, whether administered through the agency of a knife or a bullet. It is, however, very high priced. Verdigris is quite effective and inexpensive. All poisons must be prepared immediately before using, or they lose their effectiveness and become innocuous."

After thinking over the above, the reader will conclude that there was some ground for the suspicion that the bullet which killed President McKinley was poisoned and that it is fortunate for the world there are few Anarchists who have the nerve to become men of 'action.'

It has been asserted in several newspapers that the murderer of President McKinley was subjected to torture by the Buffalo police in order to wring from him a confession which would reveal his accomplices in his terrible crime. There is plenty of testimony to convict Cook of murder, so the application must have been for discovery on another account. But we refuse to believe such methods of extorting evidence would be countenanced by the authorities in the United States. No doubt an authoritative denial will be forthcoming at the proper time. Evidence collected under such circumstances would be valueless to the minds of jurymen of the twentieth century. Deeply as the doctrines of the Anarchists are loathed and their crimes execrated, the public will not tolerate a reversion to a system in vogue hundreds of years ago in order to find evidence of their unfitness to mingle with people of properly balanced minds.

The Boers have caught the British napping quite frequently of late. In view of what has occurred in the past, we hesitate to say that it is the last flare-up preceding the final collapse. The British people will want to know why these things happen; in case the Boers be inclined to say "we told you so," they will also point out that Labouchere's speeches are being circulated, translated into Dutch, to prove that the inhabitants of the Kingdom are on the point of flying at each other over this question of conquest. The press is a pernicious institution in these modern times. The utterances of patriots are sometimes circulated in places where they will do the most harm.

All the addresses presented to the Duke at Ottawa save one were "taken as read." What their fate will now be is mercifully hid from mortal eyes.

## THE PRESS ON THE ELECTION.

(Vancouver Province.)

The moral to be drawn from the splendid victory in New Westminster is so plain that it need not be dwelt upon at any length. It is a victory of common decency over the forces of treachery and trickery, and as such it will remain a warning in British Columbia to those who deliberately attempt to flout public opinion.

(Vancouver News-Advertiser.)

The action of the voters of New Westminster on Wednesday last was the first step towards an end which every intelligent observer of provincial affairs must have realized was bound to come. The line of action adopted by Mr. Dunsmuir and concurred in by a majority of his colleagues, could only result in one thing—disaster to the government. But it was a matter of uncertainty when that result might occur. The bye-election at New Westminster will certainly accelerate it. That the government's supporters will be in a minority in the House is beyond doubt. The majority against it will certainly be eight, probably ten, possibly twelve. The defeat of the Provincial Secretary will have an effect on some members who, while not in hearty sympathy with the government, might have hesitated to withdraw their support and thus bring on another crisis in provincial political affairs. But the result of Wednesday's election gives the declared opponents of the government a

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clear majority in the House and that fact will cause more desertions from the government's ranks. The fate of the government—administration—therefore, decided and the only matter in doubt is as to the time and the manner in which it will pass out of existence.

(New Westminster Columbian.)

Yesterday the politicians tried conclusions with the people, for that was what the contest in New Westminster amounted to. The people won a great victory, in the election of Mr. Thomas Gifford, who has the distinction of being the first candidate to defeat a cabinet minister seeking re-election in this province, with the memory of the present generation. Whether such a thing has occurred here before, we leave to old-timers to say; but certainly it is a rare achievement to defeat a minister in his own constituency at a bye-election.

The government staked its existence on the turn in New Westminster, and must share the fate of its candidate. We do not know that that is a matter for congratulation; for ourselves, we would have preferred to influence the first minister to a better appreciation of the rights of the legislature and of the people than to have helped to precipitate this crisis.

(Vancouver World.)

The election of Mr. Thomas Gifford in New Westminster yesterday can be taken by Hon. Mr. Brown and all the province as meaning much more than an opinion as to the relative ability of the two men. It must be taken in the first place as a warning to all who aspire to public confidence, receive the affairs of the public into their keeping, and would then betray the interests of those who had entrusted them and barter their suffrages for their own personal advantages.

But the election in New Westminster does not alone concern Mr. Brown or Mr. Gifford. It is of infinitely wider significance, since it constituted a test of the ability of the government to maintain its government by a petit jury of the people. . . . It means not so much a victory for Thomas Gifford, although he is certainly to be congratulated, but a repudiation of the administration which would so juggle with the principle of representative government as to select a minister out of the ranks of the supposed opposition.

It means as plainly as the ballot-box express that confidence in Hon. James Dunsmuir as premier, as well as in J. C. Brown as member for New Westminster, is gone.

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### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 21.—5 a. m.—A storm area of great intensity has developed over the province and the adjacent states of Oregon, Washington, and Montana, causing general rainfall, and in this vicinity fog and light winds; the barometer has fallen to 29.28 inches and weather conditions are decidedly unsettled. South of the Columbia river fair weather prevails and no rain has fallen. In the Northwest the weather is cloudy, with occasional rain and moderate to fresh northerly winds.

### Forecast.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday.  
Victoria and vicinity—Moderate or fresh easterly and southerly winds, unsettled, with showers, followed by clearing weather to-night or Sunday.  
Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, unsettled, with rain, followed by clearing weather.

### Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.28; temperature, 52; minimum, 51; wind, calm; rain, .26; weather, cloudy.

New Westminster—Barometer, 29.32; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 6 miles E.; rain, .50; weather, rain.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.20; temperature, 56; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, rain.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.28; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, calm; rain, .08; weather, rain.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 58; minimum, 56; wind, to north S. W.; weather, cloudy.

### CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

**Morley's Hosiery for ladies and children at The White House.**

A meeting will be held this evening of the committee of the Independent Labor party, which has in hand the selection of a candidate to contest the Victoria bye-election.

Pan-American exposition, Buffalo, N. Y., May to November. Ask Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway about reduced rates. R. M. Boyd, commercial agent, Seattle, Wash. O. J. Eddy, general agent, Portland, Ore.

The clerks in the employment of the Hudson's Bay Company presented L. W. Whitaker, who has for some time had charge of the grocery department of that establishment, and who has been transferred to the Winnipeg branch, with a handsome gold chain as a token of their esteem.

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Henry Arthur Jones's splendid dissertation on marriage and the equity of the sexes done up in its most palatable form in his charming play, "The Case of the Rebellious Susan," will be shown by Mr. James Neill and his company in this city at the Victoria theatre next Monday evening. It has been described by the newspapers elsewhere as a splendid performance worthy of the play and the distinguished actor who essays the leading role. In "The Case of the Rebellious Susan" is said to be a literary play, and a false move, a wrong move, would spoil it beyond repair. In Mr. Neill's production each player is said to fit neatly and well into his or her respective part, and there is said to be nothing to mar the performance which has been quite universally claimed by the press to be individually and collectively almost perfect.

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Don't forget to attend the benefit dance in the A. O. U. W. hall next Monday evening in aid of widows and children who are in need.

A meeting of the Veterans' Association of Vancouver Island will be held at the drill hall on Monday evening to take into consideration whether or not the Veterans will parade at the time of the Duke's visit.

**Morley's Hosiery for ladies and children at The White House.**

This morning in the provincial police court the case was called of Alfred Bright, cook of the ship Alexander Black, charged with refusing duty. He did not appear and a warrant was issued for his arrest. He left the ship yesterday afternoon, but had not returned.

The gold dust containing the highest values ever assayed at the provincial office in Victoria was treated at the parliament buildings yesterday. It consisted of a consignment of about fifty ounces from one of the Cariboo creeks, which ran to the high figure of \$18.52.

A bicyclist riding down Government street at noon today had a miraculous escape. Colliding with a motor car, he did not appear and a warrant was issued for his arrest. He left the ship yesterday afternoon, but had not returned.

The principal speaker of the Columbia college, New Westminster, will preach the anniversary sermon for the Centennial Methodist church to-morrow. Mrs. A. A. Humber in the evening. The annual tea will be given on Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock, followed by a programme. R. L. Drury will act as chairman.

An excellent entertainment is promised for Monday evening next under the auspices of the Calvary Baptist Church Mission Circle. Miss Maude Underhill, the well known elocutionist, will conduct the programme, and she will be assisted by a number of prominent entertainers, including Prof. Fletcher, the vocalist. No admission will be charged, but a collection will be taken up.

The young ladies' shorthand school of the St. Ann's convent will soon have completed a term's work. The term as a general thing ends at the same time as the term of the public schools, but this year work was a little behind hand, and it was necessary, in order to get the students through the amount of work, to continue the term after midsummer. However, the convent will now soon be turning out a contingent of expert stenographers.

Last evening Constable Jackson took into custody Mary, a kitchener, who was in possession of a lot of rye. She was also carrying considerable cargo, and when brought in emitted a series of whoops which would have been startling enough in the woods on a dark night. Subsequently two brothers came to the police station with her, but as she was charged with being in possession of intoxicants \$25 was required instead of \$10, as in the case of ordinary drunkenness. During the night she became very sick, and was this morning examined by the city health officer, Dr. Robertson, who found her to be suffering from pleurisy. The chief consequently withdrew the charge against her, and she was granted her liberty. She appeared to be very ill.

On Tuesday evening next the meeting of the Victoria Athletic Club which was to have been held this week, and which was postponed on account of there not being a quorum in attendance, will take place. All members are particularly requested to attend, as business of the utmost importance to the club will be transacted. Preparations for the season now almost in will be made. Arrangements for the introduction of games of various kinds such as handball, basketball, etc., will also be discussed. The new hall is thoroughly equipped with all the paraphernalia required for the conducting of a first class athletic club. During the summer Prof. Rob. Foster has been tireless in his efforts to make the Philharmonic hall the best resort in the city for the athletically inclined young men, and a glance at the hall and its equipment will be all that is required to show the athlete that he has succeeded.

The auditorium of the Metropolitan Methodist church presents a most pleasing appearance to those who can appreciate the beautiful. The decorations have been arranged by the Epworth League of the church, which celebrates its eleventh anniversary on Sunday and Monday, September 22nd and 23rd, and reflect great credit upon the designers. Several hundreds of yards of sunning, red, white and blue, draped to all parts of the building, give a beautiful effect, while pot and cut flowers in abundance decorate the pulpit and platform. Special sermons will be preached to-morrow and special music rendered by the choir. On Monday night all the Young People's Society of the city will be invited to give a cordial invitation is extended to the public. A first class programme has been arranged. No admission fee will be charged.

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### HORSELESS CARRIAGE.

W. M. Le Poer French Received One From San Francisco This Morning.

A horseless carriage arrived in Victoria today, the one ordered by W. M. Le Poer French, of Saanich, having reached the city. It is understood to have cost the purchaser in the neighborhood of \$1,000.

Properly speaking Mr. French's carriage is not an automobile, but a locomobile. The difference is that his machine is run by steam, and has the same principles as a steam engine, while the automobile derives its motive power from gasoline. It was taken to the Victoria Transfer Stables, and many people gathered around to have a look at the new machine.

It has accommodation for two, has four wheels, and is in every way similar to an ordinary carriage with the exception that there are no shafts for the horses, and that there is some space given to the engine, making it seem rather large. The rate of speed which can be attained by the machine is 45 miles an hour. It was built by a locomobile company of Connecticut, and was sent by the agency at San Francisco to Mr. French.

### SHIPMENTS FROM THE TYEE.

A number of the staff of Henry Croft's office to-day stated that the ore shipped from the Tyee mine at Mount Sicker would, he understood, in all probability be handled over the Lenora railway. The first shipment of ore was taken from the Tyee to the mine to the line, and from there on the trucks to the bay.

When the Tyee begins to make regular and large shipments to the Tacoma smelter it is believed that the present railway will be extended by mutual agreement between the Lenora Company and the Tyee people to the Tyee mine, and that the rolling stock will be increased and the ore of the Tyee handled in the same way as the Lenora.

The new engine which the Lenora Company brought out from the East for the purpose of working on the line from the mine to the bay, and which at first did not run well, is now in first class order, and the Lenora mine is making daily shipments larger than ever before, sending to Tacoma smelter a little less than 100 tons daily.

### Personal.

Mrs. Falth Fenton Brown, of the Toronto Globe's staff, is in the city. She has been spending the summer in the East and goes North on Tuesday with Governor Ross to join her husband at Dawson.

Mr. H. D. Helmecken returned this morning from a visit to California. She was met at Seattle by Mr. Helmecken. Miss Anna Goodwin remained in the South.

Luke Pither, and wife and Max Leiser were among the passengers from the Terminal City by the steamer Charnier last evening.

W. H. Quinn, wife and child, arrived from Vancouver the other day and are spending a few days in the city.

C. F. Todd, H. Logan and T. W. Patterson and wife arrived from Vancouver last night.

Dr. Ernest Hall will return this evening from the Mainland and resume his practice.

As one of the sailors of the British ship Red Rock was going ashore from the vessel at the outer wharf last evening, he slipped off the gang plank and fell between the ship and wharf. His calls for help attracted the attention of the watchmen on the dock and ship, who, hastening to the scene, threw a life belt to the man in the water, and with some difficulty took him on board again.

This afternoon Elder Brock and John Rogers, who were yesterday committed for trial on a charge of manslaughter, are to come before Mr. Justice Walkem for election. It is understood they have communicated with Dr. Dowie, the general overseer of Zion, asking his advice on the subject.

Thos. Waterhouse, for many years a resident of Esquimalt, died last night at the Jubilee hospital. He was 87 years of age and a native of England. The remains were removed to W. J. Hanna's parlors and notice of the funeral will be given later.

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## VETERAN WRITER'S WESTERN TRAVELS

BERNARD McEVOY ON  
VICTORIA'S CHARMS

Its Fine Government Buildings and Its  
English Air Elicit Admiration From  
a Journalistic Visitor.

Bernard McEvoy, the well known Canadian journalist who is now in the West, writes as follows to the Toronto Mail and Empire regarding his stay in this city:

There are two questions that people always ask in the West. The first is, "Is this you first trip?" and the second, "How do you like the country?" I suppose it is the proximity of the Orient that is the source of this style of interrogatory. I know that if I went to China by one of these fine Empress boats, and saw Li Hung Chang, that he would ask me the same questions. He would also add, "How old are you?" We are obliged by the way, to fall back on the conventional, "Orient," because that which by memorial English usage has been called the East, lies eastward no longer, so that when you speak of "the East" you are taken to mean Toronto, and Montreal and Hamilton, and other great cities from which we men come. The wise men do not return unless they are past the first heyday and flush of youth. They remain, and exalt the census of British Columbia at the expense of that of Ontario. But Ontario is in many respects the progenitor of British Columbia, and from Ontario's broad shoulders the lusty and vigorous child has looked on to the future. Meanwhile there is a daffodil and a finish about the East which the West will catch up to in the course of years, naturally. Nor is the child quite like its parents of the East, who might sometimes regard it as an infant terrible. On the whole, however, affection triumphs, and we say in the words of the song, "He gets more like his dad every day."

The sail from Vancouver to Victoria is a very enjoyable experience. The Charmer, a well-found and staunch C. P. N. steamship, leaves the former city every day at one o'clock, and makes the trip in about six and a half hours, during the whole of which you pass through a panorama of beauty that makes you inclined to say that the name of the steamer was not ill-chosen. Dim outlines of mountains mysterious in their grandeur; bold headlands looming up out of the horizon and growing as you get nearer; to be seen with rocks and trees; wide spaces of tossing green water where the tide is coming in through "the narrows"; wider spaces where the sea is calm, and the light winds play with the surface and diversify it with a smile like that of a sleeping infant. Plumpers' Pass, a narrow passage through rock-bound two-crowned islands; these are some of the details of scenes that live long in the memory of those who pass through them. By and by when the sun is sinking in the midst of rosy clouds, and an amber glory, Victoria, heaves in sight, beautiful for situation, and you see its noble government buildings, and its fine post-office—the finest in the Dominion—its churches, and its dwelling houses streaming out on all sides into the surrounding beauty of landscape. A little time, and we swing round into the harbor and tie up, and by that time the sky is dusking with night. The babel of hotel shouting touts that meets you on landing passes belief. I never heard such a row. I think the hotel-keepers hire savages from the Andaman Islands and other remote islands, and use them as you can now catch them, and used to the war-whoop. An aged lady clings hold of you tremulously and begs you to see her through it, so of course you comply, saving a couple of heavy cries viciously, use the English word, "Where are the stocks and the ducking-stool, I wonder?" I must enquire. I arrived at last, without the assistance of any touts, at a nice, quiet hotel, where you could shake salt out of the salt-caster without slinging it on the table, or getting the salt on your head. From the salt cellar you can judge the house. I was content. I began to be sensible of the good old English style of the place. Wandering out into the street after dinner numerous jack-tars were in evidence, many of whom were from the ships in the Esquimaux harbor, these miles off. Jolly, clean, healthy fellows they are, swinging down the street with a rolling gait, their wide trousers sitting with a broad nattyness over the shoe, their broad collars seamanlike on their shoulders. They seem to go, generally, three or four abreast, and you can see that it is a treat for them to be on land. Very often the first thing they do is to hire bicycles, which they mean to ride or die, and their attempts are very interesting illustrations of their bull-dog pertinacity. They curse the thing up and down when it throws them off, but they are always triumphant. Also they have a penchant for five-cent beer, a harmless and exhilarating drink, which is sold here in considerable quantities, and is much better for them than spirits. A drunken sailor I have not seen.

The Government Buildings. Government street looked very home-like and natural in the morning sunshine with its show and buildings so much like those of the Old Country. Its English-looking people wearing gloves

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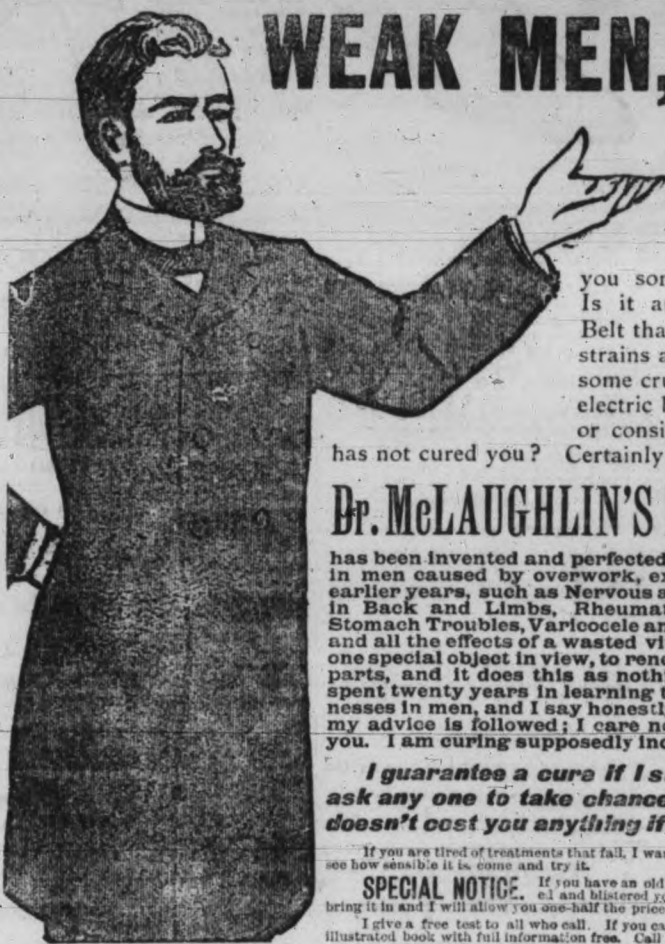
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or at least carrying them. At the end of it you come to an arm of the harbor called James Bay, and beyond this at the end of a longish bridge, are the government buildings with a bigish lawn in front of them coming to the water's edge. They are built of grey stone, and are very handsome and palatial, having a central tower and cupola and numerous smaller cupolas. They present a long front, and at each end is a semi-detached building connected by the main structure by a colonnade. The style is classic-Italian I suppose, and the utmost civil of criticism is perhaps that they have too many features for the size of them, but I speak with diffidence, for I cannot but respect the genius of Mr. Rattenbury in designing this his chief d'oeuvre. They are as much more beautiful than our Toronto parliament buildings as the pantheon is to our old city hall. At the back of the market, and how the B. C. government got them? Built and fitted for \$850,000 is a mystery that would strike Toronto aldermen dumb. Nor is their superiority confined to their exterior; the inside of them is equally admirable. Architectural beauty confronts one at every turn. The central circular hall, with its lofty dome and its beautiful mosaic floor, forms a fitting approach to the legislative chamber which has a dignity that is worthy of its functions, while the corridors and offices are admirably planned. One of the things that strikes you about these buildings is their high degree of finish. Many of the windows in the halls, corridors and staircases, which are beautifully lighted, are filled with stained glasses of appropriate design and inscriptions. Here and there are beautiful brass gates. In front there is a grand flight of steps to the central entrance. When one recalls all these features and notes the excellence with which they are carried out, one wonders again how it was all done for that \$850,000. As was to be expected, the woodwork of the buildings is a feature of great merit, the splendid British Columbia woods being exported with great skill. And in her timber there is a great possession. There are cedar fittings in these buildings that not only show a practical eye but a delightful variety of texture and grain, and color in the material of which they are constructed.

Mineral Museum. In another part of the grounds in a separate annex, is a well-appointed mineral museum, a place of vital importance to the development of the splendid resources which the govern-

ment has to administer. Here in these buildings you find, as it were, the microcosm of the whole province. When we reflect that there is no place that is more constantly visited by people with whom it is important for a province to keep in touch than Victoria, the importance of these efforts comes into view. In her government buildings British Columbia has made great progress towards the adult stage, and she may be forgiven an occasional mix-up in politics so long as she keeps before her so admirably the responsibility of her great resources.

As for those same politics it would seem to be necessary for a neophyte from the East to sit up studying late at night with a wet towel round his brow in order to understand them. So far as I can make out, the province is trying at the happy-family business, such as we see occasionally illustrated in side-shows, where the cat is comfortable with the parrot, and the rat strokes the terrier's nose. An effort has been made to obliterate party lines by stamping on them when they have shown, and ascertaining that they are not there. The lion has lain down with the lamb and care has been taken from time to time that the lamb shall not be inside him. Of course keepers have had to come round now and then with red-hot poker and shot guns, and the electoral spectators of the show have often raised a vast hubbub and some of them have rather wanted the original instincts of the animals to have full sway. Such a periodic convulsion seems now to be passing over the electorate. Taking it altogether, though, the happy-family business seems to have answered tolerably well, and the province can point to substantial results. There are some, however, who hold that the usual Rugby football of parties is the proper thing, and who opine that the Happy

Family will be put into the museum. Nous verrons.

"Victoria, Victoria."

To-night there has been a band concert at Beacon Hill Park, an open space of wide common and first, overlooking the matchless prospect of sea and mountain which is such a distinguishing characteristic of this lovely place. When the usual melange of airs and pieces had been finely rendered by the band of the Fifth Regiment there was a slight pause and then the strains of "God Save the King" floated out over the sea, and lost themselves among the firs. One could not help remembering the time when it was not "God Save the King" but "God Save the Queen"; and thinking of the loyalty and love that sixty years ago, named this place after her who was destined, from that time to her death, to be the First Lady of the World. It was Victoria when it was but a settlement of ten square miles with a house or two and a few business places upon it. It is Victoria now that it is a beautiful city of twenty thousand inhabitants, and the capital of one of the most thriving provinces of our great federation. Here forever the capital of British Columbia will be, for in addition to the overwhelming reasons which now determine this position for it, there is the sentimental one that is found in the fact that the city commemorates the name of the Great God Queen.

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Drawings, specifications, and form of contract may be seen at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., and at the office of the Government Agent, Greenwood, on and after the 10th inst.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit, made payable to the undersigned, for the sum of six hundred \$600.00 dollars, as security for the due fulfillment of the contract, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for within the time specified.

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W. S. GOLE,  
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works,  
Lands and Works Department,  
Victoria, B. C., 5th September, 1901.

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Lv. 11:40 p.m. Lv. 11:35 a.m. Log Cabin ..... Ar. 1:40 p.m. Ar. 1:30 a.m.  
Lv. 12:20 a.m. Lv. 12:05 p.m. Bennett ..... Ar. 1:05 p.m. Ar. 12:20 a.m.  
Lv. 2:45 a.m. Lv. 1:40 p.m. Cariboo ..... Ar. 11:20 a.m. Ar. 10:20 a.m.  
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Leave Sidney at ..... 8:15 a.m., 5:15 p.m.

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**Steamer Iroquois**

Connecting with the Victoria & Sidney Railway, on and after May 20th, 1901, will sail (weather permitting) as follows:

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**Tuesdays.**—Leave Nanaimo for Sidney at 7 a. m., calling at Gabriola, Kuper, Chemainus, Vesuvius, Maple Bay, Burgoyne, Genoa, Cowichan and Mill Bay.

**Wednesdays.**—Leave Sidney at 8 a. m., calling at Fulford, Beaver Point, Ganges, Galiano, Mayne, Pender and Saturna.

**Thursdays.**—Leave Sidney for Nanaimo at 8 a. m., calling at Mill Bay, Cowichan, Genoa, Burgoyne, Maple Bay, Vesuvius, Chemainus, Kuper and Gabriola.

**Fridays.**—Leave Nanaimo for Sidney at 7 a. m., calling at Gabriola, Fernwood, Ganges, Mayne and Fulford.

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### Sporting News

#### THE HUNT

CLUBS REGULAR MEETING.  
The Victoria Hunt Club will hold their regular meeting at Colwood on Thursday next, October 23rd.

#### ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

COLUMBIANS MEET TO-NIGHT.  
A meeting of the Columbia Football Club will be held to-night, commencing at 8 o'clock, in the Philharmonic hall. All members and those interested are requested to attend.

#### YACHTING

THE COMING RACES.  
New York, Sept. 20.—It is announced that W. Butler Duncan, Jr., will sail on Shamrock II, during the cup races as the representative of the New York Yacht Club. The selection of a representative of the Irish club has not yet been officially announced, but it is believed that Mr. Robert Cro will be on board the defender.

#### CRICKET

INTERNATIONAL MATCH.  
Philadelphia, Sept. 20.—The first of the series of cricket matches between Capt. Beaumont's English eleven and the representative Philadelphia team began to-day. The Philadelphia team consists of 18 young players, while the Englishmen are playing 11 men. When stumps were drawn for the day, the Philadelphia "colts" had scored 175 runs for their first inning, and the English had made five runs without losing a wicket.

#### GOLF

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.  
(Associated Press.)  
Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 21.—After having been postponed for a week owing to the death of President McKinley, the golf match between Walter J. Travis, the champion, and Walter Egan, of Chicago, for the amateur championship of the United States Golf Association, was begun this morning on the links of the Atlantic City Golf Club at Northfield. There was only a small attendance at the opening of play. Although experts believe that Travis will

retain the championship, there are some who expect the Western player to give him a hard battle. If, indeed, he does not defeat him. Egan during the tournament has proved himself a good steady player. His defeat of Seely in the semi-finals last week was a brilliant performance and won him many admirers. Both men have taken hard practice during the past week.

#### LACROSSE

MATCH THIS AFTERNOON.  
This afternoon at the Caledonia grounds the great match between the Victoria and New Westminster lacrosse teams is in progress. The victors arrived last evening. The names of the players were published in these columns yesterday.

#### PROPOSAL FOR GAMES HERE

The Victoria lacrosse executive have received a proposal from the exhibition management committee for games to be played here during the approaching show. This is somewhat belated, the club having received a similar proposal from the New Westminster show committee offering very favorable inducements. The executive will meet the sporting committee at Secretary Boggs's office in the market building on Monday evening at 8 o'clock to consider the question.

#### MUST SEND IN ACCOUNTS

The secretary of the Victoria Lacrosse Club requests that all those having accounts against the club for the years 1900 and 1901 will send them to him not later than the 28th. This is absolutely necessary, as it is the intention to wind up their business at that time.

#### A FAMING OF PEARLS

Pearls are again in fashion. In this country they are an essential element in a lady's jewelry case, and in Paris there is quite a pearl famine. This freak of fashion has advanced the price of fine pearls by more than 40 per cent. The Goldsmiths and Silversmiths' Company displayed about £200,000 worth of pearls, and the whole could have been held in a fair-sized hall.

The innumerable shades of blue and green which constitute what may be called the natural color of sea water are due to greater or less proportions of salt held in solution. The appearance of intense blue is the result of the presence of large quantities of saline matter.

## A Montreal Case

C. C. Miller cured of a Chronic Case of Rheumatism by Powley's Liquefied Ozone.

We want you to know about Mr. Miller's case. He suffered from chronic rheumatism and was cured by our preparation. He is a citizen of Montreal. He will tell you about his cure if you ask or write him.

Some years ago Mr. Miller had his health and was able to devote his time to his affairs, which grew and prospered. After a while his blood became impure, he began to suffer pain, and he knew that he was affected with incipient rheumatism. His condition gradually became worse, his joints stiffened, it became difficult for him to walk and each time he moved it caused him excruciating pain.

He was forced to give up his establishment. He consulted eminent physicians and spent a great deal of money in medicines. He was so bad that he regarded anything that gave him relief from pain for five minutes as a splendid preparation. He became down-hearted and looked on his case as absolutely incurable.

One day he heard about the wonderful cures Powley's Liquefied Ozone had been making with blood disease, and he purchased a bottle. Although he was discouraged, he received benefit from the first and he kept on. In a short time he was completely cured. This is what he says about Powley's Liquefied Ozone:

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(Signed) C. C. MILLER, 214 1/2 St. Catherine St., Montreal.

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A Letter Comes to Light Which Shows the Undoubted Permanency of Cures by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. Edward Patterson of Conboyville, the Writer—Her High Opinion of Dodd's Kidney Pills—Her Advice to Others.

Conboyville, Ont., Sept. 20.—(Special.)—Mrs. Edward Patterson of this town is one of those who can testify to the lasting nature of cures by Dodd's Kidney Pills, the great Canadian remedy for all affections of the kidneys.

Mrs. Edward Patterson, according to her own statement, is to-day in splendid health. Her rheumatism has left her and although it is ten years since then, it has never returned. Dodd's Kidney Pills or two immediately drives away. This proves what has always been claimed—that Dodd's Kidney Pills cure permanently. Their effects are lasting—in fact they do not merely relieve—they cure. Here is Mrs. Patterson's letter:

"It is many years, perhaps ten or twelve, since I started taking Dodd's Kidney Pills, and then it was not for Rheumatism that I took them. I was feeling miserable, did not know what ailed me, and while reading a paper I saw the testimony of some one who had been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills, who had been feeling just as I was. I got a box and found they helped me. I found also that my Rheumatism was not nearly as bad, for I had suffered for many years especially in cold weather. I have used dozens of bottles of medicines and liniments, but it always returned until I used Dodd's Kidney Pills and now I seldom have a touch of it. I occasionally get a box, perhaps two a year. I never hear anyone complain of Rheumatism but I advise them to try Dodd's Kidney Pills."

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Per steamer Majestic from the Sound—C. W. Dunham, H. J. Wardlaw and wife, Miss McCutcheon, D. Walter, Harry Briggs, Rev. E. Knapp, A. B. Fraser, W. Netherby, F. Haller, Fred Wright, Chas. Butler, S. J. Lattimer, J. L. Whitford and wife, Mrs. Emory, Miss Palmer, C. J. Martin and wife, Mrs. Reed, T. L. Hollingway, C. E. Horton and wife, Neil Cochran, D. S. Firthing-ham, Mrs. Pearce, Mrs. Vaughn, Miss Baxter, Mrs. Henry, Miss Henry, Paul Austin, N. O. Phelps, Mrs. Delaney, Mrs. Nash, N. Pailton, B. N. Pollock, S. M. Ross, L. N. Caswell.

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## Sealed Tenders

Will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday, the 21st day of October, at 3 P. M.

For furnishing the material necessary for, and constructing, a steel bridge over Victoria Arm, at Point Ellice, in this city.

Total length, 600 feet. Width of roadway, 24 feet, the bridge to be suitable for highway and heavy tramway traffic. Full information can be obtained after September 22nd inst., at the office of C. H. Topp, city engineer. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order, WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. City Clerk's Office, Sept. 18th, 1901.

#### Tenders For Wood.

Tenders for the supply of good dry-wood, required during the present school year for the Victoria public schools, will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, 22nd inst.

F. H. EATON, Secy. Trustees. Victoria, Sept. 19th, 1901.

#### TENDERS.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday next, 22nd inst., for repairs to the British barque "Senator," now lying at Bullen's wharf, Esquimalt, B. C. For full particulars apply to ROBERT WARD & COMPANY, LTD., Agents.

#### NOTICE.

The Wellington Colliery Company, Ltd. Ltd.

The Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Company will be held at the office of the Company, Store street, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of October next, at 11:30 a. m.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary. Dated Victoria, 2nd September, 1901.

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Applications for the position of Matron of the B. C. Protestant Orphans' Home will be received by the undersigned until Friday, October 4, and from whom all particulars can be obtained.

MRS. A. S. GOING,  
Hon. Secretary,  
Hillside Avenue.

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The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Ry. Co.

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CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary. Dated Victoria, 2nd September, 1901.

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